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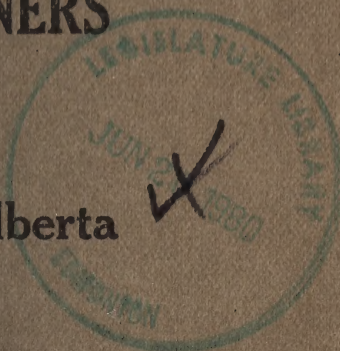
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TO THE HONOURABLE A. L. SIFTON,

*Chairman of the Executive Council of Alberta, Edmonton.*

Sir,—

By Section 67 of the "Public Utilities Act," the Board of Public Utility Commissioners is required, in the month of January in each year, to transmit to the Chairman of the Executive Council a report of the matters dealt with by the Board for the year ending the 30th day of November previous. In pursuance of this provision, the Board respectfully submits the following:

The Board, as at present constituted, was appointed on the 20th day of October, 1915. The time remaining, until the 30th November, being so brief, and any report for such time being necessarily a mere formality, it was considered advisable to include this short period in the present report, which really constitutes the Board's First Annual Report.

The Board began its work shortly after its inauguration. Suitable offices were provided in the Legislative Buildings at Edmonton. Mr. James E. Reilly was appointed Secretary by the Lieutenant Governor in Council, and Mrs. Grace K. Tilley was appointed Stenographer to the Board. This at present comprises the permanent staff.

Rules of Practice were drawn and published in The Alberta Gazette in accordance with Section 41 of the Act. These rules are given in the appendix of this report.

By the "Public Utilities Act," 1915, the jurisdiction of the Board extended to all enterprises, subject to the Legislative Authority of the Province, owning or operating telegraph or telephone companies, railways or tramways, or furnishing water, gas, heat, light or power to the public, and to the Provincial Government Telephones. By an amendment of 1916, it is provided that no municipality shall grant any franchise for the supply of water, light, heat or power to any Company, not subject to the authority of the Legislature, without an agreement upon the part of the Company to submit to the jurisdiction of the Board. The applications relating to public utilities, dealt with by the Board, were mainly in connection with the approval of franchises granted to companies by various municipalities.

During the year, that part of the line of the Alberta & Great Waterways Railway Company between Carbondale, near the City of Edmonton, and Lac La Biche was completed, and in regards to that portion of the Railway, the Alberta & Great Waterways Railway Company came within the Board's jurisdiction. The completion of the line of railway from McLennan to Peace River also brought the Central Canada Railway Company under the jurisdiction of the Board. Under the Railway Act Amendments of 1916, certain matters relating to highway crossings in connection with certain branch lines of the Canadian Northern Western Railway Company were also dealt with.



By Section 86 of the "Public Utilities Act," the Board has supervision over all loans by way of debentures sought to be raised by the various local authorities. These local authorities include Cities, Towns, Villages, Rural Municipalities and School Districts. A large number of applications of this nature were dealt with by the Board.

During the last session of the Legislature, the "Sale of Shares Act" was passed, for the purpose of regulating the sale of shares and securities within the Province. This Act renders it necessary for all companies selling, or offering for sale, their shares within the Province, to obtain the permission of the Board before so doing. Certificates were granted to a number of Companies whose plan of business or financial standing, in the Board's opinion, entitled them to favorable consideration.

The Board believes that the policy of the "Sale of Shares Act" is not to give publicity to the various Companies to whom the Board has refused to grant certificates, as it is obvious that such Companies might be thus prevented from getting into such condition as would entitle them to a certificate. In order, however, to show some of the reasons that actuated the Board in respect to applications that were rejected, some applications are given in the appendix, the names being omitted to conceal identity.

During the session of 1916, the legislature passed an "Act respecting Subdivisions" whereby the Board was given power to deal with the cancellation of subdivision plans. Many inquiries have come to the Board in regard to this Act, but the fact that it is necessary for the owners to have their arrears of taxes cleared off before the Board can take action, and that in many cases the owners of individual lots have proved obdurate in regard to any suggestion of exchange of lots, while the subdivision owners have been unready to repurchase these individual lots from the owners, has prevented the Act from being resorted to to any great extent.

The "Public Utilities Act" requires that the Annual Report should show briefly the applications to the Board and summaries of the Orders made thereon. It has been found in preparing this report that the shortest method of showing the nature of these applications and the action of the Board thereon, is to give the orders made in each case, and this has been done.

Respectfully submitted,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

JNO. STOCKS,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER,  
*Commissioner.*

EDMONTON, Alberta, 22nd January, 1917.



## FILE NO. 19—ORDER NO. 11.

Tuesday, the 23rd day of November, A.D. 1915.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the Town of Beverly, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for approval of its Bylaw No. 28, to authorize the borrowing of Fifteen Thousand Dollars, for the construction of certain sewers, as set out in said Bylaw.

Upon the application of J. S. Scrimgeour, Esq., Solicitor for the applicant, and upon reading the certified copy of said Bylaw and the material filed

The Board orders that the said Bylaw be and the same is hereby approved.

And the Board further orders that the proceeds arising from the sale of the debenture issue, in pursuance of said Bylaw, be placed in a special account in some Chartered Bank and be available only for payment of the work authorized by said Bylaw.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,

*Chairman.*

## FILE NO. 19—ORDER NO. 12

Tuesday, the 23rd day of November, A.D. 1915.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the Town of Beverly, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for approval of its Bylaw No. 27, to authorize the borrowing of Ten Thousand Dollars, for the clearing and grading of streets, etc., in the said Town, as set out in said Bylaw.

Upon the application of J. S. Scrimgeour, Esq., Solicitor for the applicant, and upon reading the certified copy of said Bylaw and the material filed.

The Board orders that the said Bylaw be and the same is hereby approved.

And the Board further orders that the proceeds arising from the sale of the debenture issue, in pursuance of said Bylaw, be placed in a special account in some Chartered Bank and be available only for payment of the work authorized by said Bylaw.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,

*Chairman.*



## FILE NO. 20—ORDER NO. 13

Thursday, the 9th day of December, A.D. 1915.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, ESQ.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Edmonton, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for approval of its Bylaw No. 669, to authorize the borrowing of \$274,966.67, for the purpose of establishing two sewage disposal plants in connection with the sewage in the said City and for the issue of debentures for the said sum.

Upon the application of John C. F. Bown, Esq., Solicitor for the applicant, and upon reading the material filed

The Board orders that the said bylaw be and the same is hereby approved.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,

*Chairman.*

## FILE NO. 20—ORDER NO. 14.

Thursday, the 9th day of December, A.D. 1915.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, ESQ.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Edmonton, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for approval of its Bylaw No. 670, to authorize the borrowing of \$310,980.01, for the purpose of paying, in so far as the sum has been ascertained and determined, part of the portion of cost of the entrance of the Calgary and Edmonton Railway into the former Cities of Edmonton and Strathcona, pursuant to the various statutes and agreements in that behalf, and for the issue of debentures for the said sum.

Upon the application of John C. F. Bown, Esq., Solicitor for the applicant, and upon reading the material filed.

The Board orders that the said Bylaw be and the same is hereby approved.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,

*Chairman.*



FILE NO. 20—ORDER NO. 15.

Thursday, the 9th day of December, A.D. 1915.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,

*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,

*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,

*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Edmonton, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for approval of its Bylaw No. 671, being a Bylaw for the relief of the Municipal Street Railway System by making the portion of the Sinking Fund and interest already paid by said System in respect of certain street paving and further payments thereof, to the extent of \$131,993.00, a charge upon the City at large for recouping said Department part of the sums already paid, as set out in said Bylaw.

Upon the application of John C. F. Bown, Esq., Solicitor for the applicant, and upon reading the material filed

The Board orders that the said Bylaw be and the same is hereby approved.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,

*Chairman.*

FILE NO. 16—ORDER NO. 29.

Thursday, the 3rd day of February, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,

*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,

*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,

*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the "Public Utilities Act," and in the matter of the Application of the Village of Delia, for authority to borrow the sum of \$1,500 by way of debenture, for the purpose of providing certain sidewalks, grading certain streets, and the erection of a building to be used as Fire Hall, Council-chamber and Lock-up.

Upon the application of the Secretary-Treasurer of the said Village of Delia, it is ordered that the said Village be and the same is hereby authorized to borrow the above sum of \$1,500 for the purposes and in the manner above set out.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,

*Chairman.*



FILE No. 2—ORDER No. 38.

Tuesday, the 14th day of March, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, ESQ.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Red Deer, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for approval of its Bylaw to raise the sum of \$3,000 by way of debenture to be expended on the Exhibition Grounds and erection of buildings, as set out in said Bylaw.

Upon the application of the Secretary-Treasurer of the said City of Red Deer, it is ordered that the said City be and the same is hereby authorized to borrow the sum of \$3,000 for the purposes and in the manner above set out.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE No. 97—ORDER No. 49.

Wednesday, the 19th day of April, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, ESQ.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Lethbridge, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for approval of its Bylaw No. 244, being a Bylaw to authorize the borrowing by way of debentures the sum of \$216,708.14, to cover the deficiency in the cost of certain public works, constructed in accordance with certain prior Bylaws, and for other objects, as fully set out in said Bylaw No. 244.

Upon the application of J. C. Landry, Solicitor for the applicant, and upon reading the material filed

The Board orders that the said Bylaw No. 244, be and the same is hereby approved.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE No. 19—ORDER No. 58.

Tuesday, the 9th day of May, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, ESQ.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the Town of Beverly, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for the approval of its Bylaw No. 42.



Whereas the Town of Beverly has issued debentures for the sum mentioned in Bylaws No. 27 and 28 for the purposes set out in said Bylaws

And whereas by Order No. 11 and No. 12 of the Board of Public Utility Commissioners the said Bylaws were approved

And whereas in said Orders the Board made certain directions as to the expenditure of the proceeds of said debenture issues

And whereas in the opinion of the Council of the Town of Beverly it is desirable that the proceeds of the said debentures still unexpended be utilized for purposes being set out in Bylaw No. 42, which said Bylaw has been submitted to and approved of by the Ratepayers of the said Town of Beverly

Upon the application of the Town of Beverly, and upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that the said Bylaw No. 42, be and the same is hereby approved.

And it is further ordered that the proceeds of the debentures still unexpended be available for the work mentioned in said Bylaw No. 42, but shall otherwise remain subject to the conditions set out in the previous orders No. 11 and No. 12.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE No. 20—ORDER No. 69.

Monday, the 29th day of May, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, ESQ.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Edmonton, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to borrow by way of special debenture, the sum of \$1,363,000.00 against the arrears of taxes for the year 1914, in accordance with the provisions of Sub-Section 5 of Section 309 of the Edmonton Charter as enacted by Section 77 of Chap. 28 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1916.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the City of Edmonton for permission to raise by way of special debenture, in accordance with the provisions of the Edmonton Charter above mentioned, the sum of \$1,363,000.00, the proceeds of such special debentures to be used for the purpose for which the said arrears of taxes were imposed, or in payment of any indebtedness incurred for the said purposes

Upon hearing counsel for said applicant and upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that permission be and the same is hereby granted to the said City of Edmonton, under the authority vested in said Board by the Public Utilities Act, to raise by way of debentures, in accordance with the terms of the Bylaw of the said City No. 683, the said sum of \$1,363,000.00 for the purpose above mentioned.

The said debentures are to be payable in two years from the time of the issue of the same, and to bear interest at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable half-yearly, and to be a first charge on all taxes, including school taxes, in arrears for the year 1914.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*



FILE No. 20—ORDER No. 70.

Monday, the 29th day of May, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Edmonton, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to borrow by way of special debentures, the sum of \$1,356,000 against the arrears of taxes for the year 1915, in accordance with the provisions of Sub-Section 5 of Section 309 of the Edmonton Charter as enacted by Section 77, of Chap. 28 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1916.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the City of Edmonton for permission to raise by way of special debenture, in accordance with the provisions of the Edmonton Charter above mentioned, the sum of \$1,356,000, the proceeds of such special debentures to be used for the purpose for which the said arrears of taxes were imposed, or in payment of any indebtedness incurred for the said purposes.

Upon hearing the counsel for said applicant and upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that permission be and the same is hereby granted to the said City of Edmonton, under the authority vested in said Board by the "Public Utilities Act" to raise by way of debentures, in accordance with the terms of the Bylaw of the said City No. 684, the said sum of \$1,356,000 for the purpose above mentioned.

The said debentures are to be payable in two years from the time of the issue of the same, and to bear interest at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable half-yearly, and to be a first charge on all taxes, including school taxes, in arrears for the year 1915.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE No. 31—ORDER No. 71.

Tuesday, the 6th day of June, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the Village of Sedgewick, under the provisions of the "Village Act," Chap. 5, 1913 (1st Sess.), and the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to borrow by way of debenture the sum of Four Thousand Dollars.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the Village of Sedgewick, for permission to borrow the sum of \$4,000 by way of debentures for the purpose of building sidewalks and grading streets in the said Village

Upon reading the petition of the majority of the ratepayers' resident therein, and the other material filed, it is ordered that the Village of Sedgewick



wick be and is hereby authorized to borrow the sum of \$4,000 by way of debenture for the purposes above mentioned.

The said debentures to be payable in ten equal consecutive annual instalments, with interest at the rate of six per centum per annum.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE No. 97—ORDER No. 73.

Tuesday, the 6th day of June, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, ESQ.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Lethbridge, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to borrow by way of debenture, under its Bylaw No. 250, the sum of \$12,588.00 to cover the cost of certain sewers constructed as local improvements.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the said City of Lethbridge, for permission to raise by way of debenture, the sum of \$12,588.00, the proceeds of such debentures to be used to pay the cost of certain sewers constructed as local improvements

Upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that permission be and the same is hereby granted to the said City of Lethbridge, under the authority vested in the said Board by the "Public Utilities Act," to raise by way of debenture in accordance with the terms of the Bylaw of the said City No. 250 the said sum of \$12,588.00 for the purposes above mentioned.

The said debentures are to be payable at the expiration of thirty years from the date of the issue thereof, and to bear interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable half-yearly.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE No. 97—ORDER No. 74.

Tuesday, the 6th day of June, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, ESQ.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Lethbridge, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to borrow by way of debenture, under its Bylaw No. 245, the sum of \$58,315.07 to cover the cost of certain Municipal works.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the said City of Lethbridge, for permission to raise by way of debenture, the sum of \$58,315.07, the proceeds of such debentures to be used to pay the cost of certain Municipal Works.

Upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that permission be and the



same is hereby granted to the said City of Lethbridge, under the authority vested in the said Board by the "Public Utilities Act," to raise by way of debentures in accordance with the terms of the Bylaw of the said City No. 245, the said sum of \$58,315.07 for the purposes above mentioned.

The said debentures are to be payable at the expiration of thirty years from the date of the issue thereof, and to bear interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable half-yearly.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE NO. 97—ORDER NO. 75.

Tuesday, the 6th day of June, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the application of the City of Lethbridge, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to borrow by way of debenture, under its Bylaw No. 239, the sum of \$3,791.86, to cover the cost of completing certain municipal works, and for purchasing land required for play-ground and public park purposes.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the said City of Lethbridge, for permission to raise by way of debenture, the sum of \$3,791.86, the proceeds of such debentures to be used to pay the cost of completing certain municipal works, and for purchasing land required for play-ground and public park purposes

Upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that permission be and the same is hereby granted to the said City of Lethbridge, under the authority vested in the said Board by the "Public Utilities Act," to raise by way of debentures in accordance with the terms of the Bylaw of the said City No. 239, the sum of \$3,791.86 for the purpose above mentioned.

The said debentures are to be payable at the expiration of thirty years from the date of the issue thereof, and to bear interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable half-yearly.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE NO. 97—ORDER NO. 76.

Tuesday, the 6th day of June, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Lethbridge, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to borrow by way of debenture, under its Bylaw No. 236, the sum of \$123,171.04 to make up the shortage of Current Account during the years 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912 and 1913.



Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the said City of Lethbridge, for permission to raise by way of debenture, the sum of \$123,171.04, the proceeds of such debentures to be used to make up the shortage of Current Account during the years 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912 and 1913, in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of the Province of Alberta entitled "An Act to Amend the Lethbridge City Charter," being Statutes of Alberta 1914, Page 39, Section 31.

Upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that permission be and the same is hereby granted to the said City of Lethbridge, under the authority vested in the said Board by the "Public Utilities Act," to raise by way of debenture in accordance with the terms of the Bylaw of the said City No. 236, the said sum of \$123,171.04 for the purposes above mentioned.

The said debentures are to be payable at the expiration of thirty years from the date of the issue thereof, and to bear interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable half-yearly.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE No. 97—ORDER No. 97.

Tuesday, the 6th day of June, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Lethbridge, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to borrow by way of debenture, under its Bylaw No. 235, the sum of \$6,165 to cover the cost of construction of certain storm sewers.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the said City of Lethbridge, for permission to raise by way of debenture, the sum of \$6,165.00, the proceeds of such debentures to be used to cover the cost of the construction of certain storm sewers as set out in said Bylaw

Upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that permission be and the same is hereby granted to the said City of Lethbridge, under the authority vested in the said Board by the "Public Utilities Act," to raise by way of debentures in accordance with the terms of the Bylaw of the said City, No. 235, the said sum of \$6,165.00 for the purposes above mentioned.

The said debentures are to be payable at the expiration of thirty years from the date of the issue thereof, and to bear interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable half-yearly.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*



## FILE NO. 17—ORDER NO. 83.

Friday, the 23rd day of June, A.D. 1916.

## BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the Village of Big Valley, under the provisions of the "Village Act," Chap. 5, 1913 (1st Sess.) and the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to borrow by way of debenture the sum of \$3,000.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the Village of Big Valley for permission to borrow the sum of \$3,000 by way of debenture, for the purpose of constructing sidewalks, erecting a Fire Hall and erecting street lamps in said Village, and the Board having considered it advisable to grant permission to the said Village to raise the sum of \$2,850 for the following purposes only, namely, for the construction of sidewalks and the erection of a Fire Hall.

Upon reading the petition of the majority of the ratepayers resident in the said Village, and the other material filed, it is ordered that the Village of Big Valley be and it is hereby authorized to borrow the sum of \$2,850 by way of debenture for the purposes above mentioned.

The said debentures to be payable in ten equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at the rate of six per centum per annum.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

## FILE NO. 110—ORDER NO. 84.

Wednesday, the 28th day of June, A.D. 1916.

## BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Calgary, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to borrow by way of debenture, under its Bylaw No. 1833, the sum of \$1,133,806.99.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the said City of Calgary, for permission to raise by way of debenture, the sum of \$1,133,806.99, according to the terms of the Bylaw of the said City No. 1833, being a consolidation of a Bylaw No. 1796, whereby the said City was authorized to issue debentures by virtue of Section 13 of Chap. 26, Geo. V., Statutes of Alberta to cover said floating indebtedness and Bylaws numbered from 1797 to 1830 inclusive, covering the cost of certain local improvements.

Upon hearing counsel for the applicant and upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that permission be and the same is hereby granted to the said City of Calgary, under the authority vested in the said Board by the "Public Utilities Act," to raise by way of debentures in accordance with the



terms of the Bylaw of the said City No. 1883, the said sum of \$1,133,806.99 for the purposes above mentioned.

The said debentures are to be payable at the expiration of twenty years from the date of said Bylaw taking effect, and to bear interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable half-yearly.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE NO. 110—ORDER NO. 85.

Wednesday, the 28th day of June, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Calgary, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to borrow by way of debenture, under its Bylaw No. 1834, the sum of \$435,000 to cover the cost of constructing certain bridges.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the said City of Calgary, for permission to raise by way of debenture, the sum of \$435,000, according to the terms of the Bylaw of said City No. 1834, being a consolidation of Bylaw No. 1658 covering the cost of erection of a certain bridge across the Bow River and Bylaw No. 1661, being to cover the cost of a further bridge across the Bow River.

Upon hearing the Counsel for the applicant, and upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that permission be and the same is hereby granted to the said City of Calgary, under the authority vested in the said Board by the "Public Utilities Act," to raise by way of debentures in accordance with the terms of the Bylaw of the said City No. 1834, the said sum of \$435,000 for the purposes above mentioned.

The debentures are to be payable at the expiration of thirty years from the date of said Bylaw taking effect, and to bear interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable half-yearly.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE NO. 5—ORDER NO. 92.

Thursday, the 9th day of March, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of The Northern Alberta Natural Gas Development Company, Limited, and the City of Edmonton, for the Board's approval of a certain contract entered into between the above parties and bearing the date of the 16th November, 1915.



This is an application under Section 37 of the "Public Utilities Act" for approval of a contract entered into on the 16th November, 1915, between the Northern Alberta Natural Gas Development Company, Limited, and the City of Edmonton, for the supply of natural gas by the Company to the City. At the present time, the Board manifestly cannot consider the contract so far as the question of rates is concerned and neither is its approval sought at this stage in regard to its equipment, plan of construction, maintenance, service or operation, and the Board's present approval is not to be taken as affecting in any way these matters.

The Board must further reserve the question of dealing with Section 6 of the Agreement, which quite evidently might affect the rights of other municipalities now wholly unrepresented and perhaps not now in existence.

It is therefore ordered by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners that, subject to the above exceptions, the above mentioned contract be and the same is herewith approved.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE NO. 61—ORDER NO. 96.

Thursday, the 20th day of July, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of Thomas A. Weekes, trading under the firm name and style of the Hardisty Electric Light Co., and the Town of Hardisty, for the Board's approval of a certain agreement to be entered into between the above parties in regard to the supplying electric light to the said Town.

This is an application on the part of Thomas A. Weekes, trading under the firm name and style of the Hardisty Electric Light Co., and the Town of Hardisty for the Board's approval of an agreement which is to be entered into between the said parties whereby the Town grants to the said Thomas A. Weekes a ten years' franchise for supplying electric light to the said Town.

The question of rates, in matters such as this, must always be subject to the jurisdiction of the Board and the Board cannot, therefore, give its approval to Sections 4 and 5 of the agreement so far as these sections affect the rates to be charged for the Company's service. Neither can the Board, in view of the provisions of the "Town Act" relating to franchises of this nature, give its approval to Section 11 of the Agreement. Subject to these exceptions the Board approves of the agreement, but such approval is not to be considered as impairing in any way the jurisdiction of the Board over the Company, in accordance with the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act" relating to public utility companies.

It is therefore ordered by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners that, subject to the above exceptions, the agreement in question be and the same is hereby approved.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*



## FILE No. 75—ORDER No. 101.

Saturday, the 29th day of July, A.D. 1916.

## BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, ESQ.,  
*Chairman.*JOHN STOCKS, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*A. A. CARPENTER, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the Town of Ponoka, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1916, for permission to raise the sum of \$4,000 by way of debenture, pursuant to Bylaw No. 160 of the said Town.

Application having been made by the Town of Ponoka for permission to raise the sum of \$4,000 by way of debenture for the purpose of covering the cost of improving the drainage and sewage system of said Town.

Upon the application of the Town of Ponoka, and upon reading the material filed, and the Board of Health having approved of said work, upon the condition of the Town using such works when constructed for the purpose of drainage only, unless the said Town first complies with the requirements of the said Board of Health, it is ordered that under the authority vested in the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the "Public Utilities Act," permission be and the same is hereby granted to the said Town of Ponoka to raise by way of debenture in accordance with the terms of Bylaw No. 160 of said Town, the sum of \$4,000 for the purposes above mentioned.

The said debentures are to be payable in twenty equal aggregate instalments of principal and interest from the date of the taking effect of said Bylaw with interest at the rate of six per centum per annum.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

## FILE No. 61—ORDER No. 106.

Thursday, the 17th day of August, A.D. 1916.

## BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, ESQ.,  
*Chairman.*JOHN STOCKS, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*A. A. CARPENTER, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of Thomas A. Weekes, trading under the firm name and style of the Hardisty Electric Light Company, and the Town of Hardisty, for the Board's approval of a certain agreement to be entered into between the above parties in regard to supplying of electric light to the said Town.

This is an application on the part of Thomas A. Weekes, trading under the firm name and style of the Hardisty Electric Light Company, and the Town of Hardisty for the Board's approval of an agreement which is to be entered into between the said parties whereby the Town grants to the said Thomas A. Weekes a ten years' franchise for supplying electric light to the said Town.

An agreement was submitted on the 20th July last for the approval of the Board and was approved, with the exception of certain clauses affecting the rates to be charged for the Company's service and a further clause dealing with a renewal of the franchise at the expiry of the term granted. Both ap-



plicants now appear before the Board with a new agreement which they have arrived at, having discarded the one already approved of and ask for the Board's approval of this new agreement, which is in substitution of the one already mentioned.

As in the case of the former agreement so in the case of the one now submitted, the question of rates in matters such as this must always be subject to the jurisdiction of the Board and the Board cannot, therefore, give its approval to Sections 4 and 5, so far as these sections affect the rates to be charged for the company's service. Subject to this exception the Board approves of the agreement, but such approval is not to be considered as impairing in any way the jurisdiction of the Board over the Company in accordance with the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," relating to public utility companies.

It is therefore ordered by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners that, subject to the above exceptions, the agreement in question be and the same is hereby approved.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE NO. 97—ORDER NO. 115.

Wednesday, the 30th day of August, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, ESQ.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Lethbridge, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to borrow by way of Treasury Notes, the sum of \$100,000 against the arrears of taxes for the years 1913, 1914 and 1915, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1 of Chap. 34 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1916.

Application being made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the City of Lethbridge for permission to raise the sum of \$100,000 by way of Treasury Notes to be issued to cover the cost of the installation of a Filtration Plant.

Upon the application of the said City of Lethbridge and upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that permission be and the same is hereby granted to the City of Lethbridge, under the authority vested in the said Board by the "Public Utilities Act," to raise by way of Treasury Notes, in accordance with the terms of the Bylaw of the said City No. 291, the said sum of \$100,000 for the purpose above mentioned.

The said Treasury Notes are to be payable in three years from the first day of October, 1916, and to bear interest at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable half-yearly, and to be a first charge on all unpaid taxes due to the City of Lethbridge for the years 1913, 1914 and 1915.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*



## FILE NO. 97—ORDER NO. 122.

Monday, the 25th day of September, A.D. 1916.

## BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Lethbridge, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to re-issue and make payable in Canadian or American currency, in place of English currency, certain debentures issued under City Bylaw No. 234.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the City of Lethbridge for permission to re-issue, in denominations of \$1,000 each, with a debenture for the odd amount, payable in gold coin of lawful money of Canada or of the United States, certain debentures authorized and issued by the City of Lethbridge in accordance with the terms of its Bylaw No. 235.

Upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that permission be, and the same is, hereby granted to the City of Lethbridge to re-issue, under the terms of its Bylaw No. 283, debentures for \$6,165.00 payable in denominations of \$1,000 each, with a debenture for the odd amount, payable in gold coin of the lawful money of Canada or of the United States, in substitution for debentures issued for the sum of £1,266 15s. 7½d. under the authority of Bylaw No. 235 of the said City.

The said debentures to be in all respects similar in terms to the debentures for which they are substituted, save in respect to the style of currency in which payment is to be made, and that any of the several places provided in the original debentures for payment hereof may be inserted in the debentures to be re-issued.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

## FILE NO. 97—ORDER NO. 123.

Monday, the 25th day of September, A.D. 1916.

## BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Lethbridge, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to re-issue and make payable in Canadian or American currency in place of English currency, certain debentures issued under City Bylaw No. 236.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the City of Lethbridge for permission to re-issue, in denominations of \$100 each, with a debenture for the odd amount, payable in gold coin of lawful money of Canada or the United States, certain debentures authorized and issued by the City of Lethbridge in accordance with the terms of its Bylaw No. 236.



Upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that permission be, and the same is, hereby granted to the City of Lethbridge to re-issue, under the terms of its Bylaw No. 284, debentures for \$123,171.04, payable in denominations of \$1,000 each, with a debenture for the odd amount, payable in gold coin of lawful money of Canada or of the United States, in substitution for debentures issued for the sum of £25,309 2s. 5d., under the authority of Bylaw No. 236 of said City.

The said debentures to be in all respects similar in terms to the debentures for which they are substituted, save in respect to the style of currency in which payment is to be made, and that any of the several places provided in the original debentures for payment thereof may be inserted in the debentures to be re-issued.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE No. 97—ORDER No. 124.

Monday, the 25th day of September, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Lethbridge, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap, 6, 1915, for permission to re-issue and make payable in Canadian or American currency in place of English currency, certain debentures issued under City Bylaw No. 239.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the City of Lethbridge for permission to re-issue, in denominations of \$1,000 each, with a debenture for the odd amount, payable in gold coin of lawful money of Canada or of the United States, certain debentures authorized and issued by the City of Lethbridge in accordance with the terms of its Bylaw No. 239.

Upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that permission be, and the same is, hereby granted to the City of Lethbridge to re-issue, under the terms of its Bylaw No. 285, debentures for \$3,791.86, payable in denominations of \$1,000 each, with a debenture for the odd amount, payable in gold coin of lawful money of Canada or of the United States, in substitution for debentures issued for the sum of £779 3s. 0d., under the authority of Bylaw No. 239 of said City.

The said debentures to be in all respects similar in terms to the debentures for which they are substituted, save in respect to the style of currency in which payment is to be made, and that any of the several places provided in the original debentures for payment thereof may be inserted in the debentures to be re-issued.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

## FILE NO. 97—ORDER NO. 125.

Monday, the 25th day of September, A.D. 1916.

## BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*  
 JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*  
 A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Lethbridge, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to re-issue and make payable in Canadian or American currency, in place of English currency, certain debentures issued under Bylaw No. 244.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the City of Lethbridge for permission to re-issue in denominations of \$1000 each, with a debentures for the odd amount, payable in gold coin of lawful money of Canada or of the United States, certain debentures authorized and issued by the City of Lethbridge in accordance with the terms of its Bylaw No. 244.

Upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that permission be, and the same is, hereby granted to the City of Lethbridge to re-issue, under the terms of its Bylaw No. 286, debentures for \$216,708.14, payable in denominations of \$1,000 each, with a debenture for the odd amount, payable in gold coin of lawful money of Canada or of the United States, in substitution for debentures issued for the sum of £44,328 19s. 8d., under the authority of Bylaw No. 244 of said City.

The said debentures to be in all respects similar in terms to the debentures for which they are substituted, save in respect to the style of currency in which payment is to be made, and that any of the several places provided in the original debentures for payment thereof may be inserted in the debentures to be re-issued.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

## FILE NO. 97—ORDER NO. 126.

Monday, the 25th day of September, A.D. 1916.

## BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*  
 JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*  
 A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Lethbridge, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to re-issue and make payable in Canadian or American currency, in place of English currency, certain debentures issued under City Bylaw No. 245.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the City of Lethbridge for permission to re-issue, in denominations of \$1,000 each, with a debenture for the odd amount, payable in gold coin of lawful money of Canada or of the United States, certain debentures authorized and issued by the City of Lethbridge in accordance with the terms of its Bylaw No. 245.



Upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that permission be, and the same is, hereby granted to the City of Lethbridge to re-issue, under the terms of its Bylaw No. 287, debentures for \$58,315.07, payable in denominations of \$1,000 each, with a debenture for the odd amount, payable in gold coin of lawful money of Canada or of the United States, in substitution for debentures issued for the sum of £11,982 11s. 0d., under the authority of Bylaw No. 245 of said City.

The said debentures to be in all respects similar in terms to the debentures for which they are substituted, save in respect to the style of currency in which payment is to be made, and that any of the several places provided in the original debentures for payment thereof may be inserted in the debentures to be re-issued.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE No. 97—ORDER No. 127.

Monday, the 25th day of September, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Lethbridge, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to re-issue and make payable in Canadian or American currency, in place of English currency, certain debentures issued under City Bylaw No. 250.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the City of Lethbridge for permission to re-issue, in denominations of \$500 each, with a debenture for the odd amount, payable in gold coin of lawful money of Canada or of the United States, certain debentures authorized and issued by the City of Lethbridge in accordance with the terms of its Bylaw No. 250.

Upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that permission be, and the same is, hereby granted to the City of Lethbridge to re-issue, under the terms of its Bylaw No. 288, debentures for \$12,588.00, payable in denominations of \$500 each, with a debenture for the odd amount, payable in gold coin of lawful money of Canada or of the United States, in substitution for debentures issued for the sum of £2,586 11s. 6d., under the authority of Bylaw No. 250 of said City.

The said debentures to be in all respects similar in terms to the debentures for which they are substituted save in respect to the style of currency in which payment is to be made and that any of the several places provided in the original debentures for payment thereof may be inserted in the debentures to be re-issued.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

## FILE No. 20—ORDER No. 139.

Tuesday, the 3rd day of October, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Edmonton, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to re-issue certain debentures (already issued under Bylaw No. 559), payable in Canadian or American currency, in place of English currency, and for changing the place of payment of said debentures.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the City of Edmonton, for permission to re-issue in denominations of \$1,000 in place of £100 each, and to change the place of payment of certain debentures authorized in accordance with the terms of said Bylaw No. 559.

Upon reading the material filed, and it appearing that debentures have already been issued by hypothecation to the Imperial Bank of Canada, it is ordered that permission be, and the same is, hereby granted to the City of Edmonton to re-issue debentures under the terms of its Bylaw No. 686 to the extent of \$121,180.00, payable in denominations of \$1,000 each, in place of, and in substitution of, debentures issued for £14,900 0s. 0d., under the authority of said Bylaw No. 559.

The said debentures, save in respect to place of payment and style of currency in which payment is to be made, to be in all respects similar in terms to the debentures for which they are substituted.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

## FILE No. 20—ORDER No. 140.

Tuesday, the 3rd day of October, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Edmonton, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to re-issue certain debentures (already issued under Bylaw No. 557), payable in Canadian or American currency, in place of English currency, and for changing the place of payment of said debentures.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the City of Edmonton, for permission to re-issue in denominations of \$1,000 in place of £100 each, and to change the place of payment of certain debentures authorized in accordance with the terms of said Bylaw No. 557.

Upon reading the material filed, and it appearing that debentures have already been issued by hypothecation to the Imperial Bank of Canada, it is ordered that permission be, and the same is, hereby granted to the City of Edmonton to re-issue debentures under the terms of its Bylaw No. 682 to the extent of \$178,120, payable in denominations of \$1,000 each, in place of, and in substitution of, debentures issued for £36,600, under the authority of said Bylaw No. 557.



The said debentures, save in respect to place of payment and style of currency in which payment is to be made, to be in all respects similar in terms to the debentures for which they are substituted.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE No. 72—ORDER No. 141.

Tuesday, the 3rd day of October, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE :

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the Town of Okotoks, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1916, for permission to raise the sum of \$1,500.00 by way of debenture, pursuant to Bylaw No. 240 of said Town.

Application having been made by the Town of Okotoks for permission to raise the sum of \$1,500.00 by way of debenture for the purpose of covering the cost of a Skating Rink in said Town

Upon the application of the Town of Okotoks, and upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that, under the authority vested in the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the "Public Utilities Act," permission be, and the same is, hereby granted to the said Town of Okotoks, to raise by way of debenture in accordance with the terms of Bylaw No. 240 of said Town, the sum of \$1,500.00 for the purpose above mentioned.

The said debentures are to be payable in five equal aggregate instalments of principal and interest from the date of the taking effect of said Bylaw, with interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE No. 126—ORDER No. 142.

Friday, the 6th day of October, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE :

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the Village of Mundare, under the provisions of the "Village Act," Chap. 5, 1915, for permission to borrow by way of debenture the sum of \$1,200.00 for drainage purposes.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the Village of Mundare for permission to borrow the sum of \$1,200 by way of debenture, for the purpose of draining certain sloughs and surface water in the Village, a plan having been filed with the Board by the Village showing the work to be undertaken, and the Board having considered it advis-

able to grant permission to the said Village to raise the sum of \$700.00 for the purpose above mentioned.

Upon reading the petition of the majority of the ratepayers resident in the said Village, and the other material filed, it is ordered that the Village of Mundare be, and it is hereby, authorized to borrow the sum of \$700.00 by way of debenture for the purpose above mentioned.

The said debentures to be payable in ten equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at the rate of six per centum per annum.

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE No. 97—ORDER No. 148.

Wednesday, the 20th day of September, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Lethbridge, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to borrow the sum of \$17,075.66 for extensions made to the Electrical System Power Plant in the said City of Lethbridge and for making further extensions to the Electric Light System in said City.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the City of Lethbridge for permission to raise by way of debenture, the sum of \$17,075.66, the proceeds of such debentures to be used to cover the cost of certain extensions made to the Electrical System Power Plant and for making further extensions to the said electric light system of the said City.

Upon reading the material filed, it is ordered that permission be, and the same is, hereby granted to the said City of Lethbridge under the authority vested in the said Board by the "Public Utilities Act," to raise by way of debenture, in accordance with the terms of Bylaw of the said City No. 292, the said sum of \$17,075.66, for the purposes above mentioned.

The said debentures are to be payable in twenty years from the time of the issue of the same, and to bear interest at five per centum per annum, payable half-yearly.

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE No. 132—ORDER No. 157.

Saturday, the 4th day of November, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company, under Section 206 of the "Railway Act," Chap. 8, 1907, Statutes of Alberta, for approval of its tariffs now filed with the Board under File No. 132.

This is an application of the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway Company, under Section 206 of the "Railway Act" of Alberta, for approval of its tariffs, which are now on file with the Board under File No. 132.



The tariffs filed are the following :

A. & G. W. Ry. No. 1, P. U. C. No. 1—Table of Distances.

Sup. No. 1 to A. & G. W. Ry. No. 1. Sup. No. 1 to A. & G. W. Ry., P. U. C. No. 1—Table of Distances.

A. & G. W. Ry. No. 2, P. U. C. No. 2—Various Commodities.

Sup. No. 1 to A. & G. W. Ry. No. 2. Sup. No. 1 to A. & G. W. Ry. P. U. C. No. 2—Various Commodities.

A. & G. W. Ry. No. 3, P. U. C. No. 3—Various Commodities to Edmonton.

Sup. No. 1 to A. & G. W. Ry. No. 3. Sup. No. 1 to A. & G. W. Ry. P. U. C. No. 3—Various Commodities to Edmonton.

A. & G. W. Ry. No. 4—Distributing Class Rates.

A. & G. W. Ry. No. 5, P. U. C. No. 4—Class Rates.

A. & G. W. Ry. No. 6, P. U. C. No. 5—Farm Settlers' Effects.

A. & G. W. Ry. No. 7, P. U. C. No. 6—Standard Mileage Freight Tariff.

Sup. 1 to A. & G. W. Ry. No. 4—Distributing Class Rates.

Sup. 1 to A. & G. W. Ry. No. 6, C. R. C. 6, P. U. C. No. 6—Farm Settlers' Effects.

A. & G. W. No. 8, C. R. C. No. 7, P. U. C. No. 7—Rates, Rules and Regulations.

A. & G. W. Ry. No. 1, P. U. C. No. 1—Standard Maximum Passenger Fares, and are based upon those approved by the Canadian Railway Commission in connection with the Edmonton, Dunvegan & British Columbia Railway Company.

The Board has heard Mr. Campbell, the traffic manager of the applicant Company, and has referred to the judgments of the Canadian Railway Commission in connection with the Edmonton, Dunvegan and British Columbia Railway Company's tariffs, and is of the opinion that for the present at least the tariffs as filed with the Board should be approved of.

It is, therefore, ordered that the tariffs above set out and filed with the Board of Public Utility Commissioners under File No. 132, be and the same are hereby approved of.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE No. 215—ORDER No. 158.

Thursday, the 9th day of November, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE :

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the Canadian Northern Western Railway Company, under Section 133 of the "Railway Act" of Alberta, for leave to construct its railway across certain highways.

Upon hearing the applicant, the said applicant having filed with the Board plans and profiles of the crossings over said highways,

It is ordered that leave be, and it is hereby granted to the applicant to construct its railway across highways at the points set out in the following plans:

Oliver-Battleford Branch, Plan of Right-of-way through Township 59, Ranges 15-14, West of the 4th Meridian, Mileage 75.83—88.76.

Oliver-Battleford Branch, Plan of Right-of-way through Township 59, Ranges 13-12, West of the 4th Meridian, Mileage 88.76—101.37, subject to such terms and conditions as to protection, safety and convenience to the public as the Board may deem it expedient to make.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE NO. 114—ORDER NO. 159.

Thursday, the 9th day of November, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the Northwestern Engineering & Supply Company, Limited, and the Town of Drumheller, for the Board's approval of a certain agreement to be entered into between the above parties in regard to the supplying of electric light and power to the said Town.

This is an application by the Northwestern Engineering & Supply Company, Limited, and the Town of Drumheller, for approval of a certain agreement filed with the Board of Public Utility Commissioners and to be entered into between the said parties, whereby the said Town grants to the said Northwestern Engineering & Supply Company, Limited, a franchise for a period of ten years for supplying electric light and power to the said Town of Drumheller.

The Board, after consideration, approved of the agreement as filed, but it must be remembered that the question of rates is one that must always remain subject to the jurisdiction of the Board, and such approval is not to be considered as in any way limiting or taking away the jurisdiction of the Board to revise the rates set out in said agreement, in accordance with the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act."

It is, therefore, ordered by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners that, subject to the above, the agreement in question be, and the same is, hereby approved.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE NO. 114—ORDER NO. 160.

Thursday, the 9th day of November, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the Northwestern Engineering & Supply Company, Limited, and the Town of Drumheller, for the Board's approval of a certain agreement to be entered into between the above parties for the pumping of the Town's water supply.

This is an application on the part of the Northwestern Engineering & Supply Company, Limited, and the Town of Drumheller, for the Board's ap-



proval of an agreement which is to be entered into between the said parties, whereby the Town grants to the said Company a franchise for ten years for the pumping of the water supply of the Town.

Section 1 of the Agreement, relating to the purchase of certain plant and machinery by the Company from the Town, is not within the Board's jurisdiction and consequently will not be affected by this Order. Subject to this exception the Board, after consideration, approved of the agreement as filed, but the question of rates is one that must always remain subject to the jurisdiction of the Board, and such approval is not to be construed as in any way limiting or taking away the jurisdiction of the Board to revise the rates set out in said agreement in accordance with the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act."

It is, therefore, ordered by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners that, subject to the above, the agreement in question be, and the same is, hereby approved.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

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FILE NO. 20—ORDER NO. 179.

Monday, the 13th day of November, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, ESQ.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Edmonton, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to re-issue certain debentures (already issued under Bylaw No. 558), payable in Canadian or American currency, and for changing the place of payment of said debentures.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the City of Edmonton for permission to re-issue in denominations of \$1,000 in place of £100 each and to change the place of payment of certain debentures authorized in accordance with the terms of said Bylaw No. 558.

Upon reading the material filed, and it appearing that debentures have already been issued by hypothecation to the Imperial Bank of Canada, it is ordered that permission be, and the same is, hereby granted to the City of Edmonton to re-issue debentures under the terms of its Bylaw No. 691 to the extent of \$163,520.00, payable in denominations of \$1,000 each, with a debenture for the odd amount, in gold coin of lawful money of Canada or of the United States, in substitution for debentures issued for the sum of £33,600 0s. 0d., under the authority of Bylaw No. 558 of the said City.

The said debentures, save in respect to place of payment, denomination and style of currency in which payment is to be made, to be in all respects similar in terms to the debentures for which they were substituted.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

## FILE NO. 20—ORDER NO. 180.

Monday, the 13th day of November, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Edmonton, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to re-issue certain debentures (already issued under Bylaw No. 549), payable in Canadian or American currency, in place of English currency, and for changing the place of payment of said debentures.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the City of Edmonton for permission to re-issue in denominations of \$1,000 in place of £100 each, and to change the place of payment of certain debentures authorized in accordance with the terms of said Bylaw No. 549.

Upon reading the material filed, and it appearing that debentures have already been issued by hypothecation to the Imperial Bank of Canada, it is ordered that permission be, and the same is, hereby granted to the City of Edmonton to re-issue debentures under the terms of its Bylaw No. 690 to the extent of \$75,433.33, payable in denominations of \$1,000 each, with a debenture for the odd amount, in gold coin of lawful money of Canada or of the United States, in substitution for debentures issued for the sum of £15,500 0s. 0d., under the authority of Bylaw No. 549 of the said City.

The said debentures, save in respect to place of payment, denomination and style of currency in which payment is to be made, to be in all respects similar in terms to the debentures for which they were substituted.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

## FILE NO. 20—ORDER NO. 181.

Monday, the 13th day of November, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the City of Edmonton, under the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Chap. 6, 1915, for permission to re-issue certain debentures (already issued under Bylaw No. 574), payable in Canadian or American currency, in place of English currency, and for changing the place of payment of said debentures.

Application having been made to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners by the City of Edmonton for permission to re-issue in denominations of \$1,000 in place of £100 each, and to change the place of payment of certain debentures authorized in accordance with the terms of said Bylaw No. 574.

Upon reading the material filed, and it appearing that debentures have already been issued by hypothecation to the Imperial Bank of Canada, it is ordered that permission be, and the same is, hereby granted to the City of Edmonton to re-issue debentures under the terms of its Bylaw No. 692, to the extent of \$75,433.33, payable in denominations of \$1,000 each, with a debenture for the odd amount, in gold coin of lawful money of Canada or of the United



States, in substitution for debentures issued for the sum of £15,500 0s. 0d., under the authority of Bylaw No. 574 of the said City.

The said debentures, save in respect to the place of payment, denomination and style of currency in which payment is to be made, to be in all respects similar in terms to the debentures for which they were substituted.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE No. 87—ORDER No. 182.

Monday, the 13th day of November, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of Bert L. Perry and the Town of Wainwright for the Board's approval of certain agreement entered into between the said parties in regard to the supplying of Electric Light and Power to the said Town.

This is an application on the part of Bert L. Perry of the City of Edmonton, Alberta, and the Town of Wainwright for the Board's approval of an agreement entered into between the said parties, whereby the Town grants to the said Bert L. Perry a ten year franchise for supplying electric light and power to the said town.

A copy of the agreement has been submitted to the Board and, after consideration, the Board is of the opinion that the contract should be approved of. However, the matter of rates is one that must always continue to be under the jurisdiction of the Board, and any approval given by the Board must not be taken to impair in any way the Board's jurisdiction to revise the rates that the said Company may charge for its service within the Town. Such approval also, must not be considered in any way as impairing the jurisdiction of the Board over the Company in accordance with the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act" relating to public utility companies.

It is, therefore, ordered by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners that, subject to the above, the agreement in question be, and the same is, hereby approved.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE No. 222—ORDER No. 183.

Friday, the 17th day of November, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, Esq.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, Esq.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the "Sale of Shares Act," 6 Geo. V., Chap. 8, Statutes of Alberta, and in the matter of the Board's approval of certain Stock Exchanges, under Section 3 of the said Act.

The Board of Public Utility Commissioners, having had under consideration the question of the approval of certain Stock Exchanges, under Section 3 of the "Sale of Shares Act,"

It is ordered that for the purposes of said Section 3, the following Stock Exchanges, namely:—

Montreal Stock Exchange,  
Toronto Stock Exchange,  
Winnipeg Stock Exchange,  
New York Stock Exchange,  
Chicago Stock Exchange

be, and the same are hereby, approved of by the Board.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE NO. 132—ORDER NO. 198.

Saturday, the 25th day of November, A.D. 1916.

BEFORE:

G. H. V. BULYEA, ESQ.,  
*Chairman.*

JOHN STOCKS, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

A. A. CARPENTER, ESQ.,  
*Commissioner.*

In the matter of the Application of the Alberta & Great Waterways Railway Company, under Section 206 of the "Railway Act," Chap. 8, 1907, Statutes of Alberta, for approval of its tariff of One-way fares between all Stations.

This is an application of the Alberta & Great Waterways Railway Company, under Section 206 of the "Railway Act" of Alberta, for approval of its tariff, A. & G. W. Ry., P. U. C. No. 2, Local Passenger Tariff, One-way Fares Between all Stations, which is now on file with the Board under File No. 132.

The tariff as filed follows a similar tariff of the Edmonton, Dunvegan and British Columbia Railway Company, as approved of by the Canadian Railway Commission, and after consideration the Board is of the opinion that this tariff should be approved of.

It is, therefore, ordered that the said Local Passenger Tariff, One-way Fares Between all Stations, filed with the Board of Public Utility Commissioners under File No. 132, be and the same is hereby approved of.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*

FILE NO. 104.

City of Red Deer, applicant,  
and

The Western General Electric Company, Limited, respondent.

1916. February 4—Notice of complaint as to charges on electric light and meter rates, and as to telephone charges to certain rural points, filed with the Board.

March 9—Answer of respondent filed.



August 12—Application of the respondent to set aside order setting down final hearing, is refused.

September 5—By consent of all parties, the final hearing of this application is adjourned to a date in January next, to be arranged by the parties, and failing an agreement, application to be made to the Board for such a date.

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FILE No. 138.

Re Village of North Red Deer and the Western General Electric Company,  
Limited.

1916. October 5—Complaint of the Village of North Red Deer in regard to failure of the Company in extending its service to certain residents of the Village.

An amicable settlement was arranged between the parties.

## DEBENTURE ISSUES OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS

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FILE NO. 505—ORDER NO. 1.

Thursday, the 4th day of November, A.D. 1915.

Name of District: Kulm School District No. 587.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,500, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments, with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE NO. 507—ORDER NO. 2.

Thursday, the 4th day of November, A.D. 1915.

Name of District: Hussar School District No. 3242.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments, with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE NO. 503—ORDER NO. 3.

Thursday, the 4th day of November, A.D. 1915.

Name of District: Teat Hill School District No. 3276.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,000, repayable in 8 equal consecutive annual instalments, with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE NO. 504—ORDER NO. 4.

Thursday, the 4th day of November, A.D. 1915.

Name of District: Royal Valley School District No. 3284.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments, with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE NO. 502—ORDER NO. 5.

Thursday, the 4th day of November, A.D. 1915.

Name of District: Mundare School District No. 1603.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$5,500, repayable in 15 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting a two-roomed brick veneer school house.

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FILE NO. 506—ORDER NO. 6.

Thursday, the 4th day of November, A.D. 1915.

Name of District: Brookdale School District No. 3230.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.



## FILE NO. 512—ORDER NO. 7.

Tuesday, the 9th day of November, A.D. 1915.

Name of District: Westlock School District No. 3208.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,500, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site and fencing same, erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE NO. 513—ORDER NO. 8.

Tuesday, the 9th day of November, A.D. 1915.

Name of District: Divide School District No. 3209.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$500, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a log school house.

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FILE NO. 514—ORDER NO. 9.

Tuesday, the 9th day of November, A.D. 1915.

Name of District: Peace River Crossing School District No. 2526.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$7,500, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a new school house.

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FILE NO. 515—ORDER NO. 10.

Tuesday, the 9th day of November, A.D. 1915.

Name of District: South Ferriby School District No. 3298.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping frame school house.

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FILE NO. 589—ORDER NO. 16.

Friday, the 10th day of December, A.D. 1915.

Name of District: Ronan School District No. 3225.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE NO. 538—ORDER NO. 17.

Tuesday, the 14th day of December, A.D. 1915.

Name of District: Coaldale Consolidated School District No. 9.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$4,000, repayable in 15 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing property of Coaldale S. D. No. 1805, acquiring additional land, erecting thereon or purchasing a suitable 4-room brick school building.

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FILE No. 528—ORDER No. 18.

Thursday, the 16th day of December, A.D. 1915.

Name of District: Pleasant Vale School District No. 3178.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,000 repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE No. 523—ORDER No. 19.

Thursday, the 16th day of December, A.D. 1915.

Name of District: Meadow Grass School District No. 3309.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping frame school house, and fencing.

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## FILE No. 517—ORDER No. 12A.

Friday, the 12th day of November, A.D. 1915.

Name of District: Fair Haven School District No. 3044.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting a frame school house.

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## FILE No. 524—ORDER No. 20.

Thursday, the 16th day of December, A.D. 1915.

Name of District: Youngstown School District No. 2186.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$8,000, repayable in 20 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a four-roomed brick veneer school house with basement.

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## FILE No. 600—ORDER No. 22.

Wednesday, the 22nd day of December, A.D. 1915.

Name of District: Horse-Shoe School District No. 3094.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house, out-buildings, and well, and purchasing site.

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## FILE No. 535—ORDER No. 23.

Tuesday, the 4th day of January, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Grenville School District No. 3259.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,350, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping a frame school house.



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FILE No. 525—ORDER No. 24.

Tuesday, the 4th day of January, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: West Peace River School District No. 3300.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$3,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping school house, and out-buildings and fencing, and digging well.

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## FILE No. 539—ORDER No. 25.

Wednesday, the 12th day of January, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Bird's Eye School District No. 3279.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping frame school house on cement foundation, 20x20.

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## FILE No. 609—ORDER No. 26.

Wednesday, the 12th day of January, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Little Eton School District No. 3289.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,400, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping frame school house.

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## FILE No. 525—ORDER No. 27.

Wednesday, the 12th day of January, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Moreton School District No. 3278.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,500, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE No. 615—ORDER No. 28.

Wednesday, the 12th day of January, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Warren School District No. 3265.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$600, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE No. 537—ORDER No. 30.

Tuesday, the 8th day of February, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Delia School District No. 3261.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$8,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping frame school, building fences, sidewalks and well.

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FILE No. 527—ORDER No. 31.

Saturday, the 12th day of February, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Twelve Mile School District No. 3257.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,800, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping frame school house, barn and out-buildings.

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## FILE No. 529—ORDER No. 32.

Wednesday, the 16th day of February, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: West Legal School District No. 3315.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$925, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 7% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping frame school house and fencing.

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## FILE No. 526—ORDER No. 33.

Saturday, the 26th day of February, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Washington Heights School District No. 3222.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE No. 569—ORDER No. 34.

Tuesday, the 29th day of February, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Sounding Lake School District No. 2586.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$250, repayable in 5 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Building stable, weatherproof porch, and putting board floor in children's wash room, etc.

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## FILE No. 521—ORDER No. 35.

Tuesday, the 29th day of February, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Fremont School District No. 3297.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE No. 555—ORDER No. 36.

Tuesday, the 7th day of March, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Brooks School District No. 564.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a new frame school house.



## FILE NO. 612—ORDER NO. 37.

Monday, the 13th day of March, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Dalroy School District No. 2690.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,400, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house, outbuildings and fencing.

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FILE NO. 611—ORDER NO. 39.

Wednesday, the 15th day of March, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Eden School District No. 3290.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,500, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house, outhouses, stable, well and fencing.

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FILE NO. 546—ORDER NO. 40.

Wednesday, the 15th day of March, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Holmdene School District No. 3243.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE NO. 565—ORDER NO. 41.

Wednesday, the 15th day of March, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Heatherbell School District No. 1907.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$400, repayable in 4 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting stone foundation under school house and barn; siding and shingling barn; painting school and barn; fencing, ploughing and levelling grounds.

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FILE NO. 533—ORDER NO. 42.

Saturday, the 18th day of March, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Loyalty School District No. 3228.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,500, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house, outbuildings, fencing and purchasing site.

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FILE NO. 578—ORDER NO. 43.

Monday, the 20th day of March, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Vanesti School District No. 3310.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,500, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping frame school house, digging well and fencing.

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FILE No. 521—ORDER No. 44.

Thursday, the 6th day of April, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: New Vegreville School District No. 1480.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$2,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Installation of sewer and water systems, closets, urinals and other necessary appurtenances connected therewith.

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## FILE No. 581—ORDER No. 45.

Monday, the 10th day of April, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Lake Whitney School District No. 3180.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$900, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting a log or frame school house.

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## FILE No. 592—ORDER No. 46.

Monday, the 17th day of April, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Queenie Creek School District No. 1875.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$500, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Paying for school furniture and sundry accounts contracted in building the school house.

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## FILE No. 557—ORDER No. 47.

Wednesday, the 19th day of April, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Fork Lake School District No. 3155.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$750, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE No. 556—ORDER No. 48.

Wednesday, the 19th day of April, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Lafond School District No. 3304.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE No. 613—ORDER No. 50.

Wednesday, the 26th day of April, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Isojoki School District No. 3184.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping school house, out-buildings, fences and well.



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FILE NO. 577—ORDER NO. 51.

Wednesday, the 26th day of April, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Berrydale School District No. 409.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$500, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting a teacher's dwelling house.

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## FILE NO. 580—ORDER NO. 52.

Wednesday, the 26th day of April, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Joffre School District No. 1440.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$400, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Building shed and outhouses and fencing grounds.

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## FILE NO. 629—ORDER NO. 53.

Tuesday, the 2nd day of May, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Amisk School District No. 3293.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,500, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping school house, out-buildings, well and pump, and fencing grounds.

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## FILE NO. 587—ORDER NO. 54.

Wednesday, the 3rd day of May, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: White Swan School District No. 3237.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE NO. 588—ORDER NO. 55.

Wednesday, the 3rd day of May, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Ricinus School District No. 3148.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$600, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping school house and improving grounds.

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## FILE NO. 567—ORDER NO. 56.

Friday, the 5th day of May, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Arbutus School District No. 3176.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE NO. 541—ORDER NO. 57.

Friday, the 5th day of May, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Brierfield School District No. 3321.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE NO. 530—ORDER NO. 59.

Thursday, the 11th day of May, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: McIntyre School District No. 3271.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,300, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house, and fencing grounds.

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## FILE NO. 576—ORDER NO. 60.

Thursday, the 11th day of May, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Westover School District No. 2754.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping frame school house, out-houses and barn.

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## FILE NO. 500—ORDER NO. 61.

Thursday, the 11th day of May, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Wilton Park School District No. 508.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE NO. 594—ORDER NO. 62.

Monday, the 15th day of May, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Beaver Meadow School District No. 3187.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$400, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE NO. 552—ORDER NO. 63.

Monday, the 15th day of May, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Bellerose Consolidated School District No. 6.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$500, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Removing school, improving school, grounds and property.



FILE NO. 584—ORDER NO. 64.

Friday, the 26th day of May, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Frankland School District No. 1203.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$2,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting a new school house.

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FILE NO. 627—ORDER NO. 65.

Friday, the 26th day of May, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Sedgewick School District No. 1567.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$2,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a one-room frame school house, with part basement for heating-plant and coal bins.

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FILE NO. 631—ORDER NO. 66.

Monday, the 29th day of May, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Rochester School District No. 3267.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE NO. 625—ORDER NO. 67.

Monday, the 29th day of May, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Sparling School District No. 2119.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$750, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Paying for school building already erected.

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FILE NO. 558—ORDER NO. 68.

Monday, the 29th day of May, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Warwickville School District No. 3313.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE NO. 572—ORDER NO. 72.

Tuesday, the 6th day of June, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Mizpah School District No. 3333.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping a frame school house

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FILE NO. 593—ORDER NO. 78.

Monday, the 12th day of June, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Michigan Centre School District No. 509.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE NO. 534—ORDER NO. 79.

Saturday, the 17th day of June, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: La Prairie School District No. 3227.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting school buildings and improving grounds.

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FILE NO. 618—ORDER NO. 80.

Saturday, the 17th day of June, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Rapid Creek School District No. 3306.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping frame school house.

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FILE NO. 544—ORDER NO. 81.

Wednesday, the 21st day of June, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Fallis School District No. 3318.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$550, repayable in 5 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Equipment, closets, outbuilding or stable, and alterations.

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FILE NO. 532—ORDER NO. 82.

Thursday, the 22nd day of June, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Marquis School District No. 2998.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house and necessary out-buildings.

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FILE NO. 555—ORDER NO. 86.

Thursday, the 29th day of June, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Salisbury School District No. 530.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$2,500, repayable in 20 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a one-roomed solid brick school house.



FILE No. 634—ORDER No. 87.

Thursday, the 29th day of June, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Ryerson School District No. 3113.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,500, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at the rate of 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping school house, stable and outbuildings, fencing and improving grounds.

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FILE No. 639—ORDER No. 88.

Thursday, the 29th day of June, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Emphyrean School District No. 2274.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$400, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at the rate of 8% per annum.

Purpose: Paying for equipment and supplies:

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FILE No. 596—ORDER No. 89.

Thursday, the 6th day of July, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Rexboro School District No. 1851.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$350, repayable in 7 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at the rate of 8% per annum.

Purpose: Moving school, repairing school and fencing and clearing ground.

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FILE No. 563—ORDER No. 90.

Thursday, the 6th day of July, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Cavell School District No. 3331.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at the rate of 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping frame school house, out-buildings, and furnishing a supply of water.

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FILE No. 538—ORDER No. 91.

Thursday, the 6th day of July, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Coaldale Consolidated School District No. 9.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$15,000, repayable in 20 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing grounds, erecting four-roomed brick school, stable and other out-buildings, purchasing equipment and conveyances and improving grounds.

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FILE No. 566—ORDER No. 93.

Tuesday, the 11th day of July, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: White Mountain School District No. 3288.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at the rate of 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE NO. 667—ORDER NO. 94.

Tuesday, the 11th day of July, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: House Lake School District No. 3235.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,300, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at the rate of 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting frame school house, stable and out-buildings.

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FILE NO. 522—ORDER NO. 95.

Tuesday, the 11th day of July, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Rosary School District No. 3128.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$800, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at the rate of 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting school house and out-buildings and fencing site.

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FILE NO. 655—ORDER NO. 98.

Friday, the 21st day of July, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: High Bank School District No. 3107.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 7% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE NO. 598—ORDER NO. 99.

Wednesday, the 26th day of July, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Galarneauville School District No. 3341.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE NO. 560—ORDER NO. 100.

Wednesday, the 26th day of July, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Creslow School District No. 3263.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,600, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE NO. 559—ORDER NO. 102.

Saturday, the 29th day of July, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Oyen School District No. 3058.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$6,000, repayable in 20 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a brick or brick veneer school house.



FILE No. 680—ORDER No. 103.

Saturday, the 29th day of July, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: West Centre School District No. 3344.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping frame school house.

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FILE No. 653—ORDER No. 104.

Wednesday, the 2nd day of August, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Emerson School District No. 1283.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$3,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting a two-roomed school and drilling a well.

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FILE No. 564—ORDER No. 105.

Thursday, the 10th day of August, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Silver Fox School District No. 3273.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$600, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping a log school house and clearing grounds.

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FILE No. 668—ORDER No. 107.

Friday, the 25th day of August, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Clodford School District No. 2678.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping frame school house.

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FILE No. 604—ORDER No. 108.

Monday, the 28th day of August, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Big Valley School District No. 2545.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$7,500, repayable in 20 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping a four-roomed brick school house.

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FILE No. 621—ORDER No. 109.

Monday, the 29th day of August, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Mellowdale School District No. 3347.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$800, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

## FILE NO. 542—ORDER NO. 110.

Monday, the 29th day of August, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Englewood School District No. 3320.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

## FILE NO. 545—ORDER NO. 111.

Monday, the 11th day of September, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Meadow School District No. 3291.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

## FILE NO. 636—ORDER NO. 112.

Friday, the 15th day of September, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Bideford Consolidated School District No. 13.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$3,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting school house and stable and fencing grounds.

## FILE NO. 626—ORDER NO. 113.

Friday, the 15th day of September, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Laketon School District No. 3342.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting a frame school house, out-houses, and fencing and clearing site.

## FILE NO. 584—ORDER NO. 114.

Friday, the 15th day of September, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Frankland School District No. 1203.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$2,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting a new frame school house.

## FILE NO. 519—ORDER NO. 116.

Friday, the 22nd day of September, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Dunn Lake School District No. 3323.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,100, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping frame school house.



## FILE NO. 595—ORDER NO. 117.

Friday, the 22nd day of September, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Excelda School District No. 3340.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,350, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house, out-buildings, fencing and well.

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FILE NO. 640—ORDER NO. 118.

Friday, the 22nd day of September, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Mooresville School District No. 3357.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house on concrete foundation.

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FILE NO. 630—ORDER NO. 119.

Friday, the 22nd day of September, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Glenora School District No. 2314.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE NO. 617—ORDER NO. 120.

Friday, the 22nd day of September, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Five Mile Creek School District No. 3287.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE NO. 660—ORDER NO. 121.

Friday, the 22nd day of September, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Poplar Ridge School District No. 772.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$300, repayable in 6 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Removing brick veneer, re-siding and trimming with cedar, two coats of paint, hauling and labor.

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FILE NO. 614—ORDER NO. 128.

Monday, the 25th day of September, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Park Road School District No. 3229.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

## FILE NO. 678—ORDER NO. 129.

Monday, the 25th day of September, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: St. Paul School District No. 2228.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,600, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing, repairing and moving school buildings, furnishing and adding to frame school building, extending and improving school site.

## FILE NO. 574—ORDER NO. 130.

Monday, the 25th day of September, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Cloverleaf School District No. 3115.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school building.

## FILE NO. 518—ORDER NO. 132.

Monday, the 25th day of September, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Round Lake School District No. 3324.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing a site, erecting and equipping a frame house.

## FILE NO. 661—ORDER NO. 133.

Monday, the 25th day of September, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Lyncoot School District No. 3370.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,400, repayable in 20 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

## FILE NO. 682—ORDER NO. 134.

Monday, the 25th day of September, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Kern School District No. 3380.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 6 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

## FILE NO. 597—ORDER NO. 135.

Monday, the 2nd day of October, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Antler Hill School District No. 566.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$2,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing four acres of land for site, erecting new frame school house, well and fencing.



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FILE No. 666—ORDER No. 136.

Monday, the 2nd day of October, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Valley Springs School District No. 3051.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,300, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE No. 641—ORDER No. 137.

Monday, the 2nd day of October, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Lynx School District No. 3360.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE No. 622—ORDER No. 138.

Monday, the 2nd day of October, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Percy Lake School District No. 3346.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,400, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing a site, erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE No. 654—ORDER No. 143.

Thursday, the 12th day of October, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Wetaskiwin School District No. 264.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$2,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Alterations to boilers and installation of sewer fixtures in the public schools of Wetaskiwin.

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## FILE No. 561—ORDER No. 144.

Thursday, the 12th day of October, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Pleasant Heights School District No. 3091.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE No. 583—ORDER No. 145.

Thursday, the 12th day of October, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Moore School District No. 3337.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,500, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house, out-buildings, well and fencing.

## FILE NO. 652—ORDER NO. 146.

Thursday, the 12th day of October, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: North Hampton School District No. 3332.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,350, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

## FILE NO. 686—ORDER NO. 147.

Thursday, the 12th day of October, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Cornlands School District No. 3218.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

## FILE NO. 516—ORDER NO. 149.

Thursday, the 19th day of October, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Veteran School District No. 3325.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$3,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

## FILE NO. 693—ORDER NO. 150.

Friday, the 20th day of October, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Waterloo School District No. 598.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$600, repayable in 6 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Building new foundation under school, re-plastering, re-floor and general repair to school; and for foundation and general repairing to stable.

## FILE NO. 590—ORDER NO. 151.

Wednesday, the 25th day of October, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Midnapore School District No. 85.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$2,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting new frame school house and stable.

## FILE NO. 575—ORDER NO. 152.

Wednesday, the 25th day of October, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Anselmo School District No. 3274.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping frame school house.



## FILE No. 651—ORDER No. 153.

Tuesday, the 25th day of October, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Fox Coulee School District No. 2317.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Improving basement of the school house and improving school grounds.

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FILE No. 687—ORDER No. 154.

Tuesday, the 31st day of October, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Ingram School District No. 376.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$600, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Building and equipping a new frame school house.

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FILE No. 656—ORDER No. 155.

Tuesday, the 31st day of October, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Crosslynde School District No. 3363.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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FILE No. 607—ORDER No. 156.

Friday, the 3rd day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Grand Springs School District No. 3025.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,400, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping a frame school house and fencing site.

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FILE No. 510—ORDER No. 161.

Thursday, the 9th day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Windy Hill School District No. 3326.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,500, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping a frame school house and drilling well.

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FILE No. 632—ORDER No. 162.

Thursday, the 9th day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Cold Lake School District No. 3307.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,400, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

## FILE NO. 509—ORDER NO. 163.

Thursday, the 9th day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Valleyfield School District No. 3327.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school.

## FILE NO. 624—ORDER NO. 164.

Thursday, the 9th day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Chip Lake School District No. 3345.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping a frame school house.

## FILE NO. 643—ORDER NO. 165.

Thursday, the 9th day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: New Holland School District No. 3350.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,400, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

## FILE NO. 671—ORDER NO. 166.

Monday, the 13th day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Calahoo School District No. 3373.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$600, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing and clearing site, erecting and equipping frame school house 18x14 ft., out-buildings and well.

## FILE NO. 604—ORDER NO. 167.

Monday, the 13th day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Big Valley School District No. 2545.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,000, repayable in 20 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Completing the purchase of site, erecting and equipping of a new four-roomed brick school house.

## FILE NO. 700—ORDER NO. 168.

Monday, the 13th day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Chartier School District No. 3166.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,400, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Paying for teacher's house and school furniture.



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FILE No. 645—ORDER No. 194.

Tuesday, the 21st day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Thelma School District No. 3358.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping frame school buildings.

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## FILE No. 685—ORDER No. 195.

Tuesday, the 21st day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Millerfield School District No. 3383.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE No. 694—ORDER No. 196.

Tuesday, the 21st day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Nose Hill Consolidated School District No. 17.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$2,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping frame school house and out-buildings, fencing grounds and providing water.

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## FILE No. 712—ORDER No. 197.

Tuesday, the 21st day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Yuma School District No. 3384.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping frame school house, fencing grounds and digging well.

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## FILE No. 524—ORDER No. 199.

Thursday, the 30th day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Youngstown School District No. 2186.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$4,000, repayable in 20 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Procuring more land, the completion and equipment of a new brick-veneer school, drilling and casing well, and fencing school grounds.

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## FILE No. 708—ORDER No. 200.

Thursday, the 30th day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Greenleaf School District No. 3392.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$2,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Purchasing site, erecting and equipping a frame school house, building stable and fencing.

## FILE NO. 562—ORDER NO. 201.

Thursday, the 30th day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Golden Meadow School District No. 3330.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,200, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE NO. 570—ORDER NO. 202.

Thursday, the 30th day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Langford School District No. 3301.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$1,000, repayable in 10 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a frame school house.

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## FILE NO. 657—ORDER NO. 203.

Thursday, the 30th day of November, A.D. 1916.

Name of District: Chinook Consolidated School District No. 16.

Amount and Terms of Repayment: \$15,000, repayable in 20 equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at not more than 8% per annum.

Purpose: Erecting and equipping a solid brick, steam-heated, four-roomed school house, and purchasing conveyances.



## TARIFF OF FEES

On the 24th day of January, 1916, in accordance with the provisions of Section 100 of the "Public Utilities Act," the Lieutenant Governor in Council approved of the following tariff of fees in connection with applications by Local Authorities for permission to raise money by way of loan on debentures or stock:

On amounts up to \$ 1,000.....	\$10.00
On amounts from 1,000 to \$ 2,500.....	15.00
On amounts from 2,500 to 5,000.....	20.00
On amounts from 5,000 to 10,000.....	25.00
On amounts from 10,000 to 15,000.....	30.00
On amounts from 15,000 to 20,000.....	35.00
On amounts from 20,000 to 25,000.....	40.00
On amounts from 25,000 to 30,000.....	45.00
On amounts from 30,000 to 40,000.....	50.00
On amounts from 40,000 to 50,000.....	55.00
On amounts from 50,000 to 60,000.....	60.00
On amounts from 60,000 to 70,000.....	70.00
On amounts from 70,000 to 80,000.....	80.00
On amounts from 80,000 to 90,000.....	90.00
On amounts from 90,000 to 100,000.....	100.00

and on any amount in excess of \$100,000 there shall be charged in addition to the last mentioned fee, one-twentieth of 1% of such excess up to \$500,000; and upon any amount in excess of \$500,000 there shall in addition be charged upon such excess one-fortieth of 1%.

On October 18, 1916, this tariff was cancelled by the Lieutenant Governor in Council and the following tariff was approved of and is now in force:

On amounts up to \$ 500.....	\$ 2.50
On amounts from 500 to \$1,000.....	5.00
On amounts from 1,000 to 1,500.....	7.50
On amounts from 1,500 to 2,500.....	10.00
On amounts from 2,500 to 5,000.....	15.00
On amounts from 5,000 to 10,000.....	20.00
On amounts from 10,000 to 15,000.....	25.00
On amounts from 15,000 to 20,000.....	30.00
On amounts from 20,000 to 25,000.....	35.00
On amounts from 25,000 to 30,000.....	40.00
On amounts from 30,000 to 35,000.....	45.00
On amounts from 35,000 to 40,000.....	50.00
On amounts from 40,000 to 50,000.....	55.00
On amounts from 50,000 to 60,000.....	60.00
On amounts from 60,000 to 70,000.....	70.00
On amounts from 70,000 to 80,000.....	80.00
On amounts from 80,000 to 90,000.....	90.00
On amounts from 90,000 to 100,000.....	100.00

and on any amount in excess of \$100,000 there shall be charged in addition to the last mentioned fee one-twentieth of 1% of such excess up to \$500,000, and upon any amount in excess of \$500,000 there shall, in addition, be charged upon such excess one-fortieth of 1%.

## APPENDIX

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### SALE OF SHARES ACT

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#### FILE NO. 28—RE APPLICATION.

This is a Mining Company. From the material on file with the Board, it appears that half of the stock has been allotted in payment of property acknowledged by the promoters to be absolutely worthless. Another large block of stock has been granted, for a comparatively small consideration, to shareholders in a Company which has been absorbed by the Applicant. The Company's claims have very little paid upon them, no development work has been done and the claims are absolutely unproven. In the Board's opinion those who are now invited to subscribe for shares are not offered a fair run for their money, and the Board cannot see its way clear to issue a certificate.

#### FILE NO. 30—RE APPLICATION.

A Mining Company. Nearly two-thirds of the stock have been allotted to the nominal vendor of the mining claims, who, upon investigation, has been found to be merely a trustee for the promoters of the Company. Very little has been paid on account of the claims, very little development work has been done and the claims cannot in any way be said to be proven. It might be said that one of the requirements of the Board in an undeveloped proposition, such as this, is that the vendor's stock be placed in escrow so that it shall not come into competition with the stock of the ordinary subscriber. The Board does not think that the applicant is entitled to a certificate.

#### FILE NO. 32—RE APPLICATION.

This is a Company formed to engage in prospecting and filing on mineral claims. The promoters' stock in the enterprise is practically a nonentity and the Board takes the stand that generally in Companies seeking to sell their shares to the public their promoters should themselves have some substantial interest at stake. Without going further into the matter there seems to be no reason that would entitle the Company to a certificate.

#### FILE NO. 39—RE APPLICATION.

This is a Company purporting to engage in loaning money on Real and Personal security and calling itself a Loan and Investment Company. In addition to the Company having an absurdly small capital, the par value of the stock is fixed at 10c a share. That alone in the opinion of the Board would be sufficient to warrant a refusal of a certificate but in addition, considering the expenses of organization and of stock selling and of management expenses, the Board could see no possible return for the investors.

#### FILE NO. 100—RE APPLICATION.

This is an Investment Company whose assets consist entirely of certain property in a city in British Columbia. About half of the capital stock has already been subscribed and it is proposed to sell the balance at a premium of 10%. The Company apparently secured its property in 1911, at a time when



property values were, to say the least, fairly high. The Company has paid no dividends to its shareholders since 1913 and in its prospectus there is not given the actual property revenue but merely an amount set out as the revenue in normal times. This is not satisfactory to the Board. A favorable financial statement by a Company such as this, naturally depends very much upon the valuation placed upon its Real Estate, and the Board has no check over these values. There further appear to be a very considerable amount of floating liabilities and the position of the Company as a whole is not such as, in the Board's opinion, entitles it to a certificate.

FILE NO. 118—RE APPLICATION.

The amount of stock issued by the applicant Company in payment of its mineral claims, appears to the Board to be entirely out of proportion to the Treasury stock, when the fact is taken into consideration that there is a very small amount of development work done upon the property. Further its vendors' stock will naturally come into competition with the stock of the actual subscriber, and the experience of the Board has shown the undesirability and the injustice of such an event.

FILE NO. 128—RE APPLICATION.

This is a Mercantile Company. The statement of the Company shows that during the few months of its business operations there has been a considerable loss, although it is represented that the Company has completed its organization, and is now in a position to make money. The Board considers that until the Company shows some proof of actual progress, the time is not favorable for it to make an application to sell its shares to the public.

FILE NO. 139—RE APPLICATION.

This is a Company organized for the purpose of dealing in live stock. None of the promoters have any substantial interest in the Company, nor can they show that they have had any particular experience in the kind of business it is proposed that the Company should carry on. The least that the promoters of such a Company can do in such a case, is to show that they have some faith in the enterprise by putting something substantial in it themselves. There is nothing in this application to recommend it for the favorable consideration of the Board.

## THE PUBLIC UTILITIES ACT

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By virtue of the provisions of the "Public Utilities Act," Section 41, the Board of Public Utility Commissioners hereby makes the following rules of practice:

### INTERPRETATION.

1. "Application" and "applicant" shall respectively include "complaint" and "complainant." Where not in conflict the Alberta statutory interpretation shall apply to these rules.

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION.

2. For the hearing of matters, applications or complaints, a sitting of the Board shall be held at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of every Tuesday that is not a statutory holiday. Should any such day be a holiday, the notice may be given for the day following. During the months of July and August an appointment of a date for the hearing of matters, applications or complaints shall be first obtained from the Secretary of the Board. Appointment of a date for a hearing on days other than those on which regular sittings of the Board are held, must be obtained from the Secretary.

### SPECIAL SITTINGS AT OUTSIDE POINTS.

3. Special sittings may at any time be fixed by the Board for hearing of matters at places in the Province other than Edmonton.

### ADJOURNMENT IN ABSENCE OF THE BOARD.

4. In the absence of the Board a hearing of any matter may be adjourned to a suitable time by the Secretary or any Clerk of the Board designated for that purpose.

### FORM OF NOTICE OF APPLICATION.

5. Notice of every application shall be given in writing to the Board, and shall contain a clear and concise statement of facts, the grounds of the application and the nature of the order applied for, or the relief or remedy to which the applicant claims to be entitled. The notice shall be signed by the applicant or his solicitor, or in the case of a corporate body or company being the applicant shall be signed by the head officer or clerk, manager, secretary, or solicitor. The address of the party signing on his or its behalf shall be given. Notice of proceedings on behalf of a respondent may be served at such address unless another address for such purpose has been indicated upon the notice or application or is subsequently intimated to the respondent in writing.

### TIME BETWEEN SERVICE OF APPLICATION AND HEARING.

6. Unless otherwise ordered by the Board there shall be six clear days, excluding Sundays and holidays, between service of notice of an application or complaint and the hearing thereof.

### MANNER OF SERVICE.

7. Notice of application may be served by personal delivery to the party to be effected, or by mailing so as, in the ordinary course of post, to reach



such party the required period before the time stated for the presentation of the application.

#### APPLICATION OR COMPLAINT.

8. A copy of the notice of application shall by the applicant be left with or mailed to the Secretary of the Board, together with a copy of any document, or copies of any maps, plans, profiles and books of reference which may be useful in explaining or supporting the same. The Secretary shall number such applications according to the order in which they were received by him, and make a list thereof.

#### FILING ANSWERS AND REPLY THERETO.

9. The respondent may and shall, if at any time so directed by the Board, file and serve within a stated time a written answer dealing with the material facts alleged in the application and setting forth the contentions of the respondent. The Applicant may file and serve a reply.

#### PROOF OF SERVICE.

10. Proof of service of notice of application may be made by affidavit. In default of appearance of response to such notice the Board may hear and determine the application *ex parte*.

#### DIRECTION FOR HEARING AND INSPECTION OF DOCUMENTS AND PROPERTY.

11. On representation of the application, in case of a contested matter, the hearing shall be preliminary in its nature. If it appears that there are disputed questions of fact material to the issue between the parties, the Board shall direct the manner in which and times at which evidence upon such issues may be adduced, and reasonable delay shall be allowed for that purpose. The Board may, at any time, give directions as to production and inspection of documents, the inspection of property and the procuring of evidence. A date for final hearing may be fixed by the Board at any time, notice whereof shall be given by the Secretary or by a party to the application.

#### HOW TO DIRECT AND SETTLE ISSUES.

12. If it appears to the Board at any time that the statements in the application, or answer, or reply, do not sufficiently raise or disclose the issue of fact in dispute between the parties, it may direct them to prepare issues, and such issues shall, if the parties differ, be settled by the Board.

#### PRELIMINARY QUESTIONS OF LAW.

13. If it appears to the Board at any time that there is a question of law which it would be convenient to have decided before further proceeding with the case, it may direct such question to be raised by special case or in such other manner as it may deem expedient, and the Board may, pending such decision, order the whole or any part of the proceedings before the Board in such matter to be stayed.

#### PRODUCTION AND INSPECTION OF DOCUMENTS.

14. Either party shall be entitled, at any time, before or at the hearing of the case, to give notice in writing to the other party to produce any book, document or writing in his possession, custody or control relating to the mat-

ters in question, for the inspection of the party giving such notice or his solicitor, and to permit him to take copies thereof; and any party not complying with such notice shall not afterwards be at liberty to put such documents in evidence on his behalf in said proceedings, unless he satisfy the Board that he had sufficient cause for not complying with such notice.

#### NOTICE TO PRODUCE.

15. Either party may give the other notice in writing to produce at the hearing such documents as relate to any matter in difference (specifying the said documents), and which are in the possession or control of such other party; and if such notice be not complied with, secondary evidence of the contents of the said documents may be given by or on behalf of the party who gave such notice.

#### COSTS IN DEFAULT OF COMPLIANCE.

16. Either party may give the other party notice in writing to admit any documents, saving all just exceptions, and in case of neglect to admit, after such notice, the cost of proving such documents shall be paid by the party so neglecting or refusing, whatever the result of the application may be; unless the Board considers that the refusal to admit was reasonable; and no costs of proving any document shall be allowed, unless such notice be given, except where the omission to give the notice is, in the opinion of the Board, a saving of expense.

#### BOARD MAY APPOINT OFFICER TO REPORT.

17. The Board may appoint or direct any person to make an inquiry and report upon any application, complaint or dispute, pending before the Board, or any other matter or thing over which the Board has jurisdiction, and may order and direct by whom and in what proportion the costs and expenses incurred in making such inquiry and report shall be paid, and may fix the amount of such costs and expenses. (Section 48).

#### SUMMONS OR NOTICE TO WITNESS.

18. The Board may, where in its opinion the attendance of any witness before the Board is desirable, cause to be served upon such witness a notice requiring his attendance before the Board, which notice shall be signed by a member or secretary of the Board. In all other respects the attendance and examination of witnesses, the production and inspection of documents, shall be enforced in the same manner as is now in force in the Supreme Court of Alberta; and the proceedings for that purpose shall be in the same form, *mutatis mutandis*.

#### TAKING EVIDENCE OUTSIDE OF ALBERTA.

19. The Board may issue commissions to take evidence outside of Alberta and make all proper orders for the purpose and for the return and use of the evidence so obtained.

#### FORMS FOR COMMISSION.

20. The forms that may from time to time be in use in the Supreme Court of Alberta in the case of commissions to take evidence, shall, *mutatis mutandis*, be adopted in proceedings before the Board.



## EVIDENCE BY AFFIDAVIT.

21. The Board may, in its discretion, accept and act upon evidence by affidavit or written affirmation or by the report of any officer or engineer appointed by it or obtained in such manner as it may decide. (Section 45).

## CONDUCT OF HEARING.

22. All hearings and investigations before the Board shall be governed by rules adopted by the Board, and in the conduct thereof the Board shall not be bound by the technical rules of legal evidence. (Section 46).

## FEES AND ALLOWANCES OF WITNESSES.

23. Witnesses shall be entitled to be paid fees and allowances according to the tariff or fees provided in the rules of the Supreme Court of Alberta. Special allowance may be made to skilled witnesses and in respect of professional tests or inspection.

## THE HEARING.

24. The witnesses at the hearing shall be examined *viva voce*; but the Board may, at any time for sufficient reason, order that any particular facts may be proved by affidavit, or that the affidavit of any witness may be read at the hearing on such conditions as it may think reasonable; or that any witness whose attendance ought, for some sufficient reason, to be dispensed with, be examined before a person appointed by it for that purpose, who shall have authority to administer oaths and before whom all parties shall attend. The evidence taken before such person shall be confined to the subject matter in question, and any objection to the admission of such evidence shall be noted by the person taking the examination and dealt with by the Board at the hearing.

25. The person appointed by the Board for the purpose of taking any examination referred to in the preceding rule, shall be entitled to such fees as may be allowed by the Board.

## WRITTEN BRIEFS.

26. The Board may, in any case when deemed advisable, require written briefs to be submitted by the parties.

## AFFIDAVITS.

27. Affidavits used before the Board or in any proceeding under this Act shall be filed with the Secretary of the Board at its office.

28. Where affidavits are made as to information and belief, the source of such information and grounds of belief upon which the same are based must be set forth.

## AMENDMENTS.

29. The Board may at any time allow any of the proceedings to be amended, or may order to be amended or struck out any matters which in the opinion of the Board may tend to prejudice, embarrass or delay a fair hearing of the case upon its merits and all such amendments shall be made as may, in the opinion of the Board, be necessary for the purpose of hearing and determining the real question in issue between the parties.

## FORMAL OBJECTIONS.

30. No proceedings under this Act shall be defeated or affected by any technical objections or any objections based upon defects in form merely.

## BOARD TO DEFINE PRACTICE.

31. In any case not expressly provided for by these rules, the Board may define the procedure to be followed.

## APPLICATION OF RULES TO MATTERS INITIATED BY THE BOARD.

32. The Board may apply the foregoing rules or any of them to matters initiated by the Board.

## ADDING PARTIES.

33. In case the Board shall be of opinion that any person not a party to any matter ought to have notice thereof, it may direct that notice be given to such person by any party to the proceedings, and that the matter do stand to come up after such notice shall have been given.

## WANT OF PROSECUTION.

34. In case of delay or want of prosecution the Board may, on application or of its own initiative, direct that the matter may be expedited or proceed to deal with and dispose of it as to the Board shall appear proper.

## DISOBEDIENCE OF ORDERS.

35. Wilful disobedience of an interlocutory order may, in the discretion of the Board, in the case of an applicant, result in a stay of proceedings or dismissal of the application. Such default by a respondent shall upon the Board so ordering, be treated as a withdrawal by the respondent from the proceedings.

36. These rules shall not apply to applications by any local authority for permission to raise money by way of debenture or upon the security of stock.

Dated at Edmonton this Sixteenth day of December, A.D. 1915.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSIONERS,

G. H. V. BULYEA,  
*Chairman.*





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